



AREA COMMITTEE DEVELOPMENT GRANT APPROVAL FORM

1. Committee: **Baldock & District Area Committee**

2. Date: **9 Jun 2014**

3. Summary of application: **Funding support to assist with the purchase of a chairlift for the venue**

Name of organisation: **Avenue Park Sports Association**

Sum requested: **£1,500**

Total project cost: **£6,522**

Brief details:

Avenue Park Sports Club is seeking funding support for a chairlift to enable users of the club to use the function room located on the first floor.

Matched / linked funding: **£1,200**

Funder: **HCC Locality Pot**

Matched /linked funding : **£2,222**
or DRR

Funder: **Club Funds**

Comments from Development Officer:

The Avenue Park Sports & Social Club is a well used venue and is home to a number of sporting clubs including Baldock Cricket Club, Baldock Crusaders Netball Club, Baldock Bowls Club and Baldock Youth Football Club. As well as these well established clubs, the function room on the first floor is also used for fundraising events, birthdays, anniversaries, christenings as well as the meeting point for the Baldock Rotary Club. Whilst the venue is currently well used, some groups and potential hirers have raised the issue of accessibility and the installation of a chairlift would resolve these issues. The application is criteria compliant and the officer recommendation is a award of £1500.

The Community Development Officer has examined this application against the Authority's Area Grants Policy, the organisation's accounts and grant history, and considers it an eligible application to put before the Committee.

Amount recommended: **£1,500**

4. Comments from Ward Members:

I support / do not support this application

Name:

Signed:

Date:

I support / do not support this application

Name:

Signed:

Date: